GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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INTRODUCTION OF BIT COURSE
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Bachelor of Information Technology (BIT) course introduced by Delhi University some year ago was discontinued after making admission of fourth batch which has passed out this year;

(b) if so.. the facts and reasons therefor: and

(c) the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to safeguard the interest of students?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

(a) and (b): According to the information furnished by the University of Delhi. the Bachelor of Information Technology

(BIT) course introduced by the University had to he discontinued as BIT was not a degree specified by the UGC under Section 22(3) of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956.

(c) With a view to safeguard the interests off the students already pursuing this course, the UGC has already permitted recognition. of BIT degree in respect of the students enrolled till the academic session 2000-2001.